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The Weather
Arkansas: Warmer today
to strong winds tonight
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Our Daily Bread

Sliced Thin by The Editor

ALEX. H. WASHBURN

Russia, Strange Ally

Cross No Bridge 'Til You Meet It

Speaking at his press conference yesterday right in the heart of Moscow U.S. Ambassador William H. Standley voiced publicly just what newspaper readers have been noting privately for the past year.

British Resume Air Attacks on German Targets

London, March 9 (P)—A strong force of RAF bombers attacked Nuremberg and targets in western Germany last night, the air ministry announced today.

"Last night aircraft of the bomber command were out in strength over southern Germany with Nuremberg as the main objective," the communiqué said.

Nuremberg was last hit by Allied planes in a heavy raid on the night of Feb. 25.

Seven bombers failed to return from last night's raid. One German plane which attempted to intercept the British bombers was shot down, the announcement said.

Some four-motored Lancasters participated in the attack, and at least two squadrons of Canadians took part.

The German high command, in a communiqué broadcast by the Berlin radio and recorded by the Associated Press, asserted 17 planes were shot down, but failed to make clear whether this score was supposed to be the result of defense against the night raiders alone or against yesterday's day raiders and the night bombers.

The Germans' previously "hid" said that eight of the night raiders were shot down.

In the attack on Nuremberg, it said, "the population sustained losses. Major damage was done, especially in residential quarters and public buildings. Some places of cultural and historic interest were destroyed."

A Canadian flier on the raid said "I saw one really big explosion at least 20 times the size of the usual heavy bomb burst."

Nuremberg is one of the chief German centers for production of the Diesel engines which power submarines and factories there also produce armored vehicles, aircraft engines, electric motors, searchlights and firing devices for mines. There is also a Messerschmitt factory at Furt in the Nuremberg area.

The number of planes which the Nazis claimed to have destroyed indicated in itself that the raid was carried out in force. This was borne out by observers on the British south coast, who said they had heard a steady procession of bombers heading toward the continent for more than an hour last evening.

The Vichy radio said British planes also were over the Netherlands.

House Kills Move for 'Name' Coach

Little Rock, March 9 (P)—With apparent disinterest, the Arkansas House definitely killed today a Senate resolution recommending that University of Arkansas trustees hire a "name coach" at a salary of \$12,000 a year "to lift Arkansas' name to the heights of athletic glory."

Only 25 of the 100 House members voted for the resolution on a rising count and Speaker Robert W. Griffith held the measure had failed since it did not receive a majority of 51 votes.

Rep. Eugene Coffelt, Benton county, said he doubted whether the mere raising of the coach's salary would produce a winning team. The Arkansas head coach now receives \$6,000 a year.

Presbyterian Men to Meet Tuesday

Monthly Supper Meeting of the Presbyterian men of the church will be held Tuesday night of this week at 7:30 o'clock.

The guest speaker will be Prospective Attorney Lyle Brown.

Members and friends of the Men's group are cordially invited to attend and enjoy a period of fine fellowship.

A carload of fresh oranges, or 500 boxes, is reduced to 200 one-gallon cans, in making orange juice.

Bakeries in the United States consume 250,000,000 pounds of sugar annually.

French Patriots Battle Openly in Streets of Paris

London, March 9 (P)—French patriots battled openly in the streets of Paris and other French cities as the collaborationist French government shipped 50 contingents of French workers from Marseilles to Germany. Fighting French and Vichy sources reported yesterday.

Hightening unrest was reported sweeping France as the Gestapo and Vichy police attempted to fulfill a promise of 400,000 French workers for Germany made by Chief of Government Pierre Laval to Adolf Hitler recently.

At first we Americans excused this strange omission on the grounds of natural patriotic pride. Russia finally had stopped an enemy no other nation had yet stopped—and Russians were justifiably happy and proud.

But America and Britain have produced millions of tons of equipment and tools into Russia, to be used by her soldiers and war-plane civilians.

Now that the war against Germany is definitely coming our way, the continued exclusion of all mention of United Nations help makes the Moscow government's action appear to be a somber and studied insult.

Admiral Standley protested to the Soviet government in blunt words yesterday that the Russian people were not being told anything about United States aid to Russia.

Now that a new lease-hold bill is before the congress, our ambassador reminded the Soviet:

"The American congress is big-hearted and generous, but if you give it the impression that their help means nothing there might be a different story."

The ambassador made a justified rebuke of our ally—and yet, the truth is, we can do nothing about Russia's queer action until the war against Germany is over and our present enemy is beaten.

You have read gloomy forecasts emanating from this column that ours might be a long war indeed. The "long war" factor, of course, is the attitude that Russia will take after Germany is beaten.

The Dakar radio said 200 French people, most of them women, were arrested in the Lyons and Marseilles regions when they tried to stop trains that were taking workers to Germany.

Junior Can Have Scout Knife Back

By KENETH L. DIXON

Washington, March 9 (P)—Give junior back his scout knife and tell hubby it's safe to come into the kitchen again.

If you eat cake because you couldn't slice bread, your angel-food days are over.

This may seem pretty thick just as you got the old kitchen crosscut sharpened up—but the government ban on bakery-slice bread has been lifted, effectively immediately.

And (such a crust they got!) it all came about right when a bunch of tricky how-to-slice-your-own devices were beginning to take the edge off what General Sherman said about war.

Food Administrator Claude R. Wickard rescinded the antisealing ban late yesterday—after nearly two knifeknickering months—explaining that its disadvantages outweighed its advantages. The idea, he said, had been that sliced bread required more wasted paper. But it developed it wasn't saving so much after all, and besides there is quite a bit on hand.

That, of course, was the intended advantage, along with some contemplated savings on slicing-machines which apparently turned out to be pretty thin.

The disadvantages? Well, you can slice your own from here on but hacking from left to right, these were a few of the harried housewives and protecting congressmen listed:

Bread knives were hard to get; when you got them it took time to learn how to use them; after that, it took more time to slice the bread daily; if the knives were too dull they wouldn't cut, and if too sharp they took a toll of fingertips; and the time lost and injuries resulting cost the nation many a man-hourman-hour.

And besides, no matter how you sliced them, it seemed the hand-carved chunks still got caught in the toaster.

Senate Goes Into Executive Session

Little Rock, March 9 (P)—In an apparently pre-arranged move the Senate went into executive session this morning to discuss "matters of vital importance to the people of the United Nations.

The action was taken on motion of Senator G. W. Loskodoo, Arkansas, a leader of the powerful economy bloc which has prevented major appropriation bills from receiving the required number of votes.

A man who could live in Mars would be unable to live on Earth without special breathing apparatus.

40% of Men Called to Army Are Rejected

Washington, March 9 (P)—One reason why the manpower pinch is going to hit some homes sooner than generally expected: The number of rejections under Selective Service now is running more than 40 per cent of those examined, the War Manpower Commission says.

Here's the record:

Approximately one-half of the first 2,000,000 registrants examined were rejected for physical, mental or educational reasons. Of those rejected as physically or mentally unfit, nearly 21 per cent were turned down for dental defects, nearly 14 per cent because of their eyes.

Then, early last year, the Army lowered its eyesight and dental standards. The rejection figure for the period of May through December was a shade over 34 per cent.

The new increase is attributed to a trend to older men, including married men without children.

13 Japanese Planes Sink Allied Vessel

By MURIL SPECER

Allied Headquarters in Australia, March 9 (P)—Japanese air fleet of nine bombers and 12 Zero fighters swept in on the flank of Allied forces south of Buna yesterday and sank a small cargo vessel in Oro bays on the New Guinea coast, an Allied headquarters communiqué said today, pointing up official warnings that it was dangerous to discount Japan's air strength in the Southwest Pacific.

Allied planes intercepted the Japanese attack and shot down one medium bomber and one Zero, the war bulletin said.

It also announced that 89 survivors of the battle of the Bismarck Sea had been killed by Allied shore patrols after drifting ashore on the coast of New Guinea and on Goodenough Island, off the New Guinea east coast. Three more were captured on Goodenough Island and five escaped but were being pursued, it was declared.

A spokesman for General Douglas MacArthur voiced the caution about underestimating Japanese air power in this area as result of jubilation over destruction of a Japanese fleet of 10 warships, 12 cargo ships and their personnel in the Bismarck Sea last week.

Alfred alrmen, meanwhile, carried out raids yesterday on Japanese positions in Dutch New Guinea, on the Tanimbari Islands, on Timor Island, and at Flinschhausen in northeastern New Guinea, the communiqué said. No enemy aerial interception was noted.

A broadcast by a CBS correspondent from North Africa said 50 planes were in the Axis formation and that Flying Fortresses shot down 17 of them and Lightning fighters shot down seven.

Two Allied aircraft are missing from yesterday's operations, it was announced.

Japs Bases Attacked

Washington, March 9 (P)—American bombers blasted Japanese positions on Kiska Island in the Aleutians, the Navy announced yesterday, and delivered minor raids against four Japanese bases in the Solomons area of the South Pacific Sunday night.

Navy communiqué No. 304 said:

"North Pacific." "On March 7, U. S. heavy and medium bombers attacked Japanese positions at Kiska, anti-aircraft fire was encountered but no enemy planes intercepted. All U. S. planes returned.

"South Pacific: (All dates are east longitude)

"2. During the night of March 7, Liberators heavy bombers and Roy Riles, Polk, supporter of welfare legislation, failed in efforts to attach an amendment giving the teacher salary aid fund an additional \$100,000 annually from liquor funds to \$400,000 annually.

Before the final roll call, Reps. Forrest Rozell, Pilkas, leader of House school forces, and Roy Riles, Polk, supporter of welfare legislation, failed in efforts to attach an amendment giving the teacher salary aid fund an additional \$100,000 annually from liquor funds to \$400,000 annually.

Hospital supporters charged the amendment would kill the bill, throwing final consideration into closing hours of the session.

As the general assembly went into its last three days of the sessional amendments would be proposed.

House Wants Youths Off Federal Payroll

Little Rock, March 9 (P)—Without discussion the Arkansas House adopted a resolution today memorializing Congress to release from government employment all male "Bureau clerks" under 40 years of age to make them available for Army duty or war work.

Adoption came on a voice vote with only two audible "Ayes." The resolution was introduced by Rep. James R. Campbell of Garland county, and four others.

Auxiliary Police Meet Wednesday

The Hempstead County Auxiliary Police will hold their monthly meeting and barbecue at the American Legion hall at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday night.

Axis Withdraw After 6 Cracks at Allied Lines

Allied Headquarters in North Africa, March 9 (P)—Marshal Erwin Rommel, beaten back when he attempted six assaults from the Mareth line in Southern Tunisia on Saturday, has withdrawn his forces deeper into his defenses before General Bernard L. Montgomery, an Allied headquarters communiqué announced today.

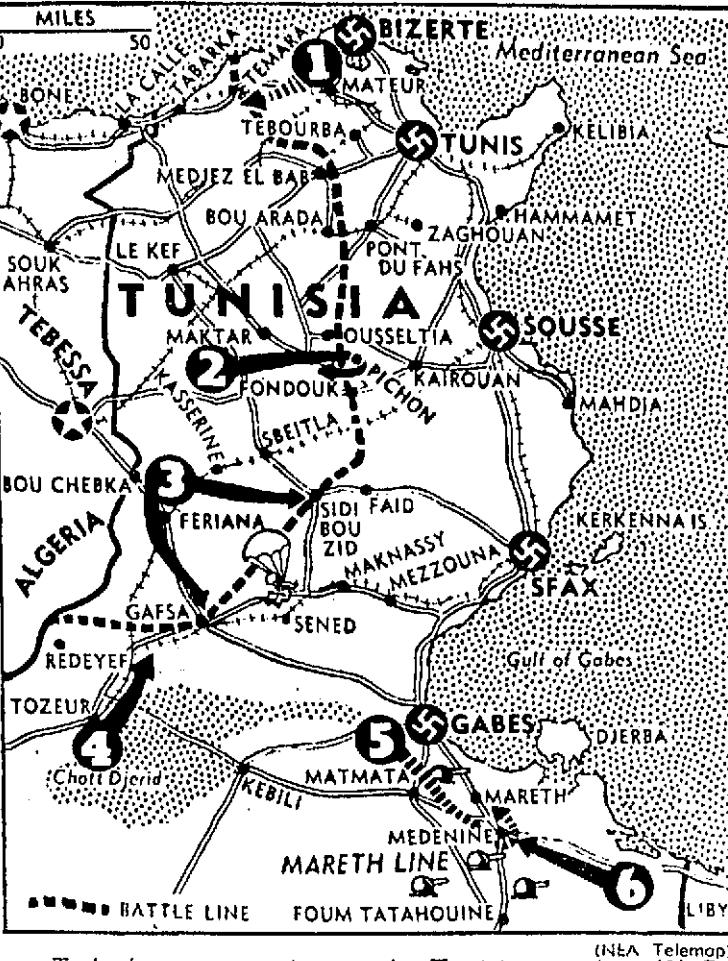
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Today's War Map



Today's war map pictures the Tunisia roundup: (1) German advances west of Sychevka; (2) U. S. retreat from Pichon under Axis artillery; (3) U. S. advance in center, parachutist in action; (4) French come up from south; (5) Rommel retreats in Mareth line sector; (6) British attack retreating Axis forces.

Waves, Spars Offer Travel to Texarkana

By FRANCIS M. LE MAY

Washington, March 9 (P)—Unruffled by two setbacks in the House Ways and Means committee, Republican supporters of the Rumel "skip a year" proposal as the only practicable and fair current tax payment method, and another saying it would create "war millionaires."

Meanwhile Ways and Means members searched furiously for a compromise that would cancel a substantial part, but not all, of one tax year in easing the transition to a current collection system.

They were ready to vote on a proposal by Rep. Robertson (D-Va.) that the 6 per cent normal and first bracket surtax of 13 per cent be abated on 1942 income for all taxpayers, meaning complete measure of last year's oblications for 70 per cent of the taxpayers, all in the low income bracket. The treasury is understood to look with favor on this plan.

The proposal by Beardsley Rumel, New York banker, to skip a tax year was rejected yesterday for a second time, 16 to 9, with nine Republicans supporting it and 15 Democrats and one Republican, Rep. Gearhart of California, in opposition.

Emerging from the tense committee chamber, Rep. Knutson (R-Minn.) announced then nine Republicans were prepared to carry the fight to the House.

"We believe that the country wants immediate favorable action on the Rumel proposal," Knutson said. "We wish to say furthermore we are definitely opposed to any alleged pay-as-you-go proposal which involves collection of all or any part of the 1942 liability in addition to current taxes."

Gearhart said the Rumel plan would release \$115,000,000,000 of income from taxation and added "I do not think we have any right to do that, especially this year when our country needs money to win the war, more than it ever needed money in its history."

He contended war millionaires if the plan is adopted.

Eldest Son of John McClellan Dies

Washington, March 9 (P)—Senator John L. McClellan (D-Ark.) was notified today that his eldest son, Max, is dead in North Africa.

Corporal Max E. McClellan, 27, died of spinal meningitis.

He enlisted in the army last July and took part in the African invasion in November.

The news came a few hours after former Senator Clyde L. Herring of Iowa was notified that his son, Captain Clyde E. Herring, is missing in action on the Tunisian front.</p

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11-1tf

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Reynerson, City Hall. 1-1mch

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Today in Congress
By The Associated Press
Senate

May take up farm deferment bill.
Special defense committee hears
Henry Kaiser on manpower utili-
zation.

Military committee resumes
hearings on national war service
bill.

House

Continues debate on lend lease
act.

Naval committee studies indus-
trial absenteeism.

Rules committee takes up Kilday
priorities bill.

Military committee hears Mrs.
Oveta Culp Hobby on WAACs.

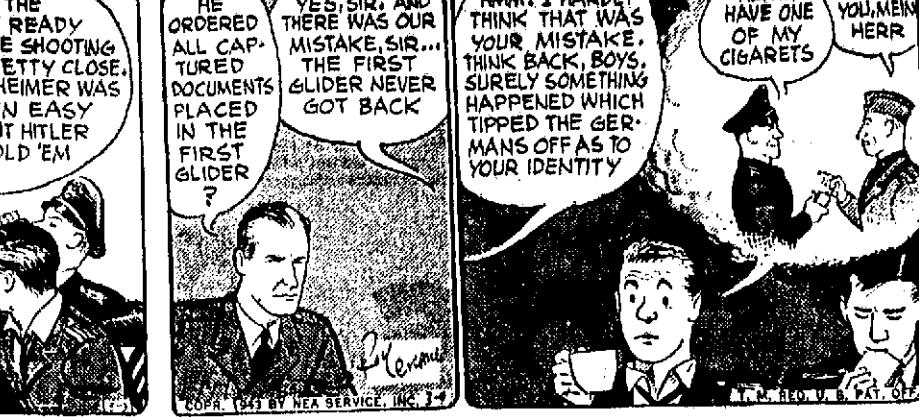
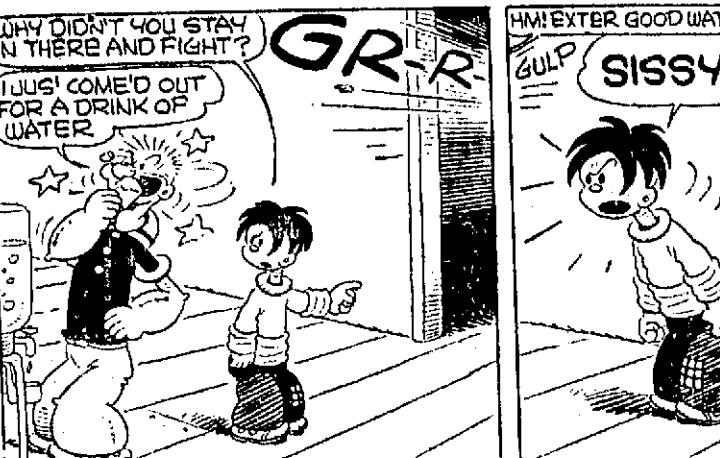
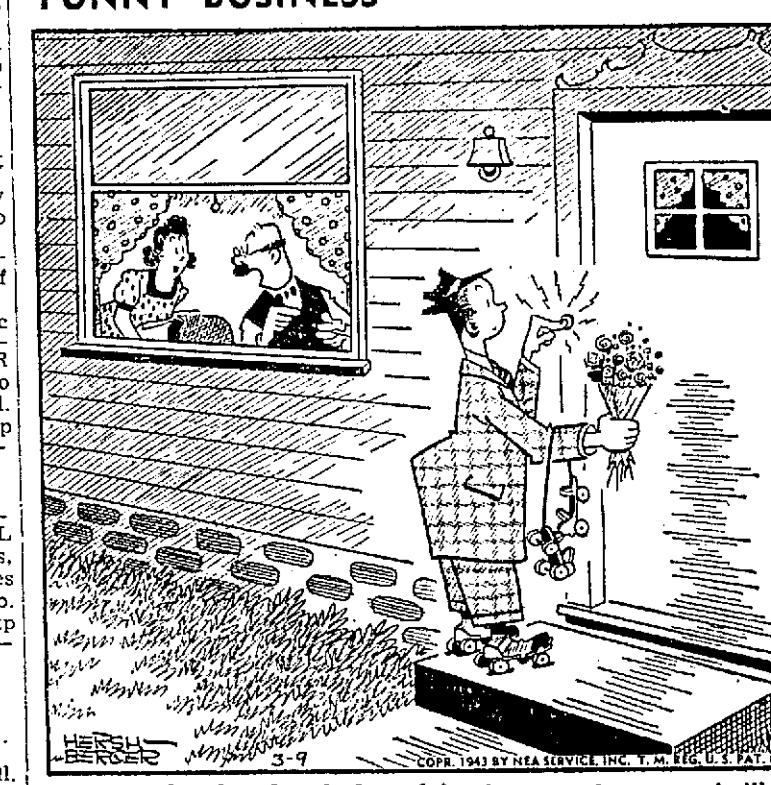
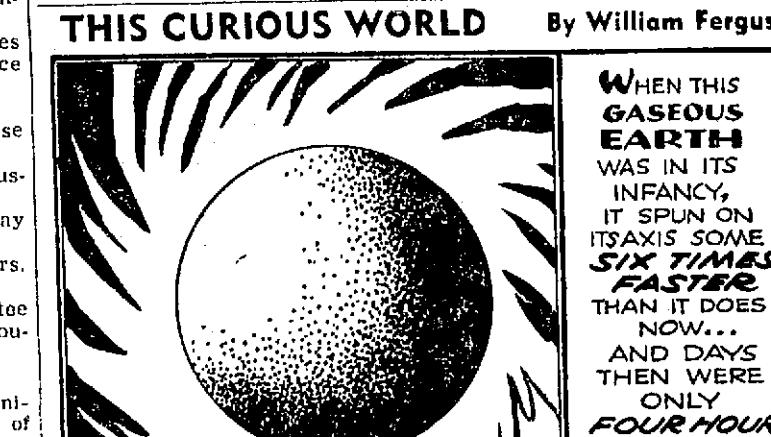
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seeks compromise on pay-as-you-
go taxes.

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drums.

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Social and Personal

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Social Calendar

Tuesday, March 9th
The Paisley P. T. A. will meet at the school, Tuesday, March 9th at 3 p. m.

The Winsome Sunday School Class of First Baptist church will hold its business and social meetings at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow night with Mrs. Best Cooper as hostess.

Tuesday Confrat Bridge club, home of Mrs. Syd McMath, 3 o'clock.

Wednesday, March 10th
The Paisley P. T. A. will meet Wednesday, March 10 at the school, 3 p. m. The program will be "My Child and His Inheritance". All members are urged to be present.

Brookwood P. T. A. will meet Wednesday, March 10th with the Social following. Guest speaker for the meeting will be Miss Mamie Twitchell, who will talk on "Recreation Builds Health". A full attendance is urged for this meeting.

The John Cain chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, home of Mrs. O. A. Graves, 3 o'clock.

The Home Nursing classes will meet at the Hempstead county rooms Wednesday afternoon from 3 to 5 and Wednesday evening from 7 to 9 o'clock. All women are urged to attend.

Thursday, March 11
The High School PTA will meet at 3:30 o'clock Thursday. Mrs. Clyde Hendrickson will discuss "Victory Gardens".

Mrs. Oliver Adams is Hostess To Christian Council

Group 2 of the Women's Council of the First Christian church met at the home of Mrs. Oliver Adams Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Opening with the Lord's Prayer, the meeting was presided over by the leader, Mrs. Adams.

Mrs. C. E. Cassidy presented an interesting program. Assisting were Mrs. Fonzie Moses who gave the devotional and Mrs. Floyd Porterfield, who presented an article from the "World Outlook."

The program was closed with the benediction.

A dessert course carrying out the St. Patrick's motif was served during the social hour.

Hesterly-McLarty Wedding

The late winter wedding of Miss Helen Frances Hesterly, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Berry Hesterly of Prescott, and Lt. Thomas Franklin McLarty Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Franklin McLarty of Hope, was brilliantly solemnized at 5:30 Sunday afternoon, March 7, at the First Baptist Church in Prescott. The Rev. E. P. J. Garrett, pastor, performed the double ring ceremony.

Fan of Woodward fern and cherry laurel trees made a back-

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JOHN WAYNE

WHITE CARO

Mrs. J. B. Hesterly, aunt of the bride, presided over the cake. Serving punch were Mrs. H. B. Lamar, Mrs. Frank Turville, Mrs. A. F. Williams, Mrs. Blake Scott, and Mrs. Watson White Jr. all of Prescott. Assisting were Miss Mary Dell Waddle, and Miss Katherine Rising of Hope, cousins of the groom. Mrs. Thompson Evans Jr. of Hope and Wichita Falls, Texas, and Miss Roslyn Hall of Hope. Mrs. Byron Rhodes Morse of Little Rock was in charge of the bride's book.

Lt. and Mrs. McLarty departed for a wedding trip, after which they will be at home in Mineral Wells, Texas where Lt. McLarty is stationed at Camp Wolters. The bride traveled in a three-piece suit.

Mrs. McLarty, who is the granddaughter of the late Dr. and Mrs. S. J. Hesterly of Prescott, attended Lindenwood College, St. Charles, Mo., and the University of Ark., where she was a member of the Chi Omega sorority. Lt. McLarty attended Riverside Military Academy, Gainesville, Ga., and Hollywood-by-the-Sea, Florida. After spending ten months on foreign duty, he was sent to officers candidate school, Ft. Benning, Ga., where he received his commission on March 3rd.

There were many out of town guests for the wedding from Hope, Little Rock, Pine Bluff, Oklahoma City, Texarkana, Shreveport, La., El Dorado, and other towns.

Also
Frankie Darro
in

"One Foot In Heaven"

Coming and Going

Mrs. K. G. McRae and her house guests, Mrs. G. E. Graham of Kalamazoo, Mich., and Mrs. Jack Meek of Bradley, are guests today.

"Lets Go Collegiate"

of Mrs. Taylor Stuart in Hot Springs.

After a pleasant visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph R. Heard, and sister, Miss Alice Loraine Heard of Waco, Miss Daisy Dorothy Heard has returned to the city.

Mrs. R. L. Broach has returned from a weekend visit with her mother, Mrs. A. C. Whitehurst, in Little Rock. While there, Mrs. Broach saw Ethel Baumy more in "The Corn Is Green".

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Casey have returned from a weekend trip to Texarkana, where they visited relatives and friends.

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"It will, sir. Thanks, and good-by!"

Jimmy saluted, then turned to run. He raced to a point by the platform, grabbed a girl's slender hand and—without giving her one chance to speak—jerked her forward, running. The band began to play. People crowded closer.

"Jimmy! What is the—?"

"Get in! Shut up and get in!" He stage-whispered it desperately.

He pushed her toward the door of the sailplane. Nervously, and entirely automatically, she lifted one foot to step in.

"HEY, LADY!"

A photographer called that. She turned, beaming with excitement, poised gracefully on the sailplane poised.

Click! Click-click! . . . Cameras snapped all around.

"Oh!" she gasped.

Next thing she knew, Jimmy was sitting at the controls and the wings were dipping. Precisely at 11 a. m. the plane started rolling.

A thunderous cheer rose over the soaring field.

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Allies Expect and Are Prepared for Another Attack

**Analysis of
the News by
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**Editorial Comment
Written Today and
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By DeWITT MacKENZIE
Marshal Rommel's ill-fated assault on General Montgomery's British Eighth Army in front of the Axis fortified Mareth line represents an effort on the part of the Nazi "Fox of the desert" to upset his arch enemy's preparations for another offensive, and it's quite in the cards that the Nazi leader may strike again.

It's significant that Montgomery's skill and strength still stay with him. That's more than luck. Rommel is one of the smartest generals of the day, but for the past six months he's been giving best to the Cromwellian-faced Briton who expressed the view to me not long ago in the Libyan desert that his adversary was a great soldier.

This fresh Axis reversal emphasizes the growing difficulties of the German defensive problem in the last narrow strip of northern Africa remaining to Hitler. The forces under Rommel in the south and General Von Arnim in the far north are in danger of being divided, or of getting caught in the huge Allied lemonsqueezing, which no escape except into the Mediterranean.

Montgomery, having routed Rommel at El Alamein in Egypt and driven the German pell-mell along the winding coastal road clear to Tunisia, is threatening aggressively from the south. British, American and French forces are pushing in

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Market Report

ST. LOUIS LIVESTOCK

National Stockyards, Ill., March 9.—(AP)—(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Hogs, 12,500; slow; uneven weights 180 lbs up opened 10-15 lower; later 1525 lower than average Monday; lighter weights 50-65 lower; sows 180290 lbs 15.35-50; top 15.50; some later bids around 15.25; 140160 lbs 14.00-75; 100130 lbs 13.00-14.00; most sows 14.01-15.25; a few heavies 14.85.

Cattle, 3,000; calves, 1,000; opening moderately active and generally steady with Monday; a few medium and good steers 14.50-15.00; medium and good heifers and mixed yearlings 13.00-50; common and medium cows 11.00-13.00; medium and good sausage bulls 12.50-13.75; good and choice vealers 16.50; medium and good 14.00 and 15.25; nominal range slaughter steers 12.00-16.75; slaughtered heifers 10.75-16.00; stockers and feeder steers 10.50-14.75.

Sheep, 1,500; opened steady; deck from the west.

That Axis front will be smashed in due course. The Allies have suffered reverses, but nothing of a major nature. We might have hoped for better luck, and at the same time been warranted in expecting some worse.

When I left northern Africa the other day, military men didn't expect the Tunisian show to be long-drawn out. However, they had no doubt that the Axis would give plenty of trouble, and that there would be tough fighting.

It mustn't be overlooked that the Axis is holding prepared positions with perhaps a quarter of a million troops. Those positions have been thoroughly organized for defense. The Mareth line, back of which Rommel is sitting, is particularly powerful.

Then too, while the United Nations forces are handicapped by extended lines of communication, northern Tunisia is the land nearest Sicily. Men and supplies have been moving across this narrow stretch of sea to Von Arnim and Rommel. By the same token, the airfields of Sicily are so close that German warplanes can operate readily from them against the Allies.

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POULTRY AD PRODUCE
Chicago, March 9.—(AP)—Butter receipts 418,165; firm; prices as quoted by the Chicago price current are unchanged.

Egg receipts 19,086; firm; fresh graded, extra firsts, local 37 1-2, cars 38; firsts, local 3 14, cars 35 1-2; current receipts 35 34 districts 33 34; checks 32 1-4.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS
Chicago, March 9.—(AP)—Action of the House Rules committee in approving the Pace bill, which would provide that farm labor costs be included in computing parity prices, brought about a moderate rally in wheat during the closing hour today, but traders said this action had been largely discounted.

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NEW YORK COTTON
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Late afternoon values were unchanged to 35 cents a bale up, March 20.35, May 20.24, and July 20.08.

Futures closed unchanged to 30 cents a bale higher.

McH—opened, 20.35; closed 20.42

May—opened, 20.24; closed 20.21-34

Jly—opened, 20.05; closed, 20.05

Oct—opened, 19.62; closed, 19.70

Dec—opened, 19.74; closed, 19.73

Jan—closed, 19.67

Middling spot 22.05; up 3 N Nominal

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**Developments
Overnight in
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Little Rock, March 9.—(AP)—Overnight legislative developments:

Senate:

Passed the governor's \$250,000 war emergency fund and several other appropriation bills but, with the economy bloc strengthened over the weekend, blocked passage of several important appropriations. Administrationists laid the groundwork for a court test on the bloc's actions, pointing out in the journal that four senators are in the armed forces and this might reduce number of votes required for a three-fourth count.

Killed 2-22 the revenue department bill to tax trailers on their "pay load" rather than factory ratings. Also defeated the bill to repeal 10 day divorce law.

The Middleton bill giving the University Medical school \$100,000 from liquor taxes struck a snag when the House refused to withdraw it from committee for immediate posting on the calendar.

Passed the Cleer bill rearranging terms of university trustees to conform with amendment 33.

Chairman Lee Baker said the House committee investigating the alleged non-collection of a five cents per gallon liquor license would drop its probe. He said an appropriation was needed and the attorney general had ruled the tax apparently was superceded by a 40 cents gallonage tax.

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**Absentee Marriage
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Little Rock, March 8.—(AP)—Marriages performed in Arkansas between an absentee soldier and local girl by exchange of cables or written offer of marriage and acceptance will be illegal, Attorney General Guy E. Williams ruled today, in an opinion to the American Red Cross, Washington.

Drafting of Manpower in Near Future

By JOHN H. WIGGINS

Washington, March 9.—Convinced the administration is determined to boost the size of the armed forces to 10,800,000 by the year's end, congressional foes of military expansion saw increased prospects today of drafting civilian manpower to produce war supplies.

While the Senate military committee called for more testimony on the Austin-Wadsworth national service legislation from three witnesses, all expected to urge enactment, the Senate itself was confronted with another revision of a farm labor draft bill excluding agriculture workers from the services only if they produce crops essential to war.

The measure was offered by Senator Bankhead (D-Ala) to meet administration objections to his previous bill which called for deferral of all draft registrants engaged regularly in "an agricultural occupation."

Meantime, members of a Senate bloc who have appealed for a cut in military expansion plans on the ground the manpower left would be insufficient to produce the necessary food and supplies, acknowledged their appeals apparently were futile.

They referred to a report from an authoritative quarter disclosing that a special committee appointed by President Roosevelt had agreed that the goal of 10,800,000 in the armed forces should be achieved.

Banzhaf, a member of the Senate appropriations committee, remarked that the only weapon left appeared to be the congressional

purse strings which conceivably could be tightened sufficiently to cut off funds needed for military expansion.

Other members of the bloc, however, privately expressed doubt that the appropriations group could be persuaded to dare this step and theorized that the only solution to the manpower shortage in industry likely would be some compulsory mobilization similar to the Austin-Wadsworth proposal.

Bankhead contended that despite the war manpower commission's recent draft classifications designed to encourage a shift of men over 38 to the farms and the order to draft boards to defer farm workers individually, Congress should declare its intent to keep agricultural labor from the armed services.

Brother Newsmen Are Hard Rivals

Memphis, Tenn.—(AP)—The same brothers are city editors of rival newspapers in a twopaper town.

Opposing each other in the daily battle for headlines are Malcolm Adams of the morning Commercial Appeal and his older brother, Bull, of the afternoon Press-Sentinel.

Both worked up to their present positions the hard way via the copy boy route. Both started on the same paper, the old Memphis News-Sentinel. Both got results. Null with his booming voice; Malcolm, quietly. Both are married.

They meet infrequently, but gather every Christmas "at Mother's."

But the Adams' don't have exclusive rights to family relationships on Memphis newspapers. Null has a reporter by the name of Hila McGee. She's married to Lillard McGee, a reporter on Malcolm's paper.

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Contributors to County Red Cross Drive

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ployees are 100%:

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read about now in the big emergency synthetic rubber program.

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"What we did for petroleum, other companies did for other things. But the big point is—here 1500 research people work for one company just discovering new and useful things for the future."

"This war is proving, once again, that the American idea is the greatest force on earth. It's an idea Hitler will never understand. But a lot of people he's pushing around are going to share it and thank God for it before many more years go by!"

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